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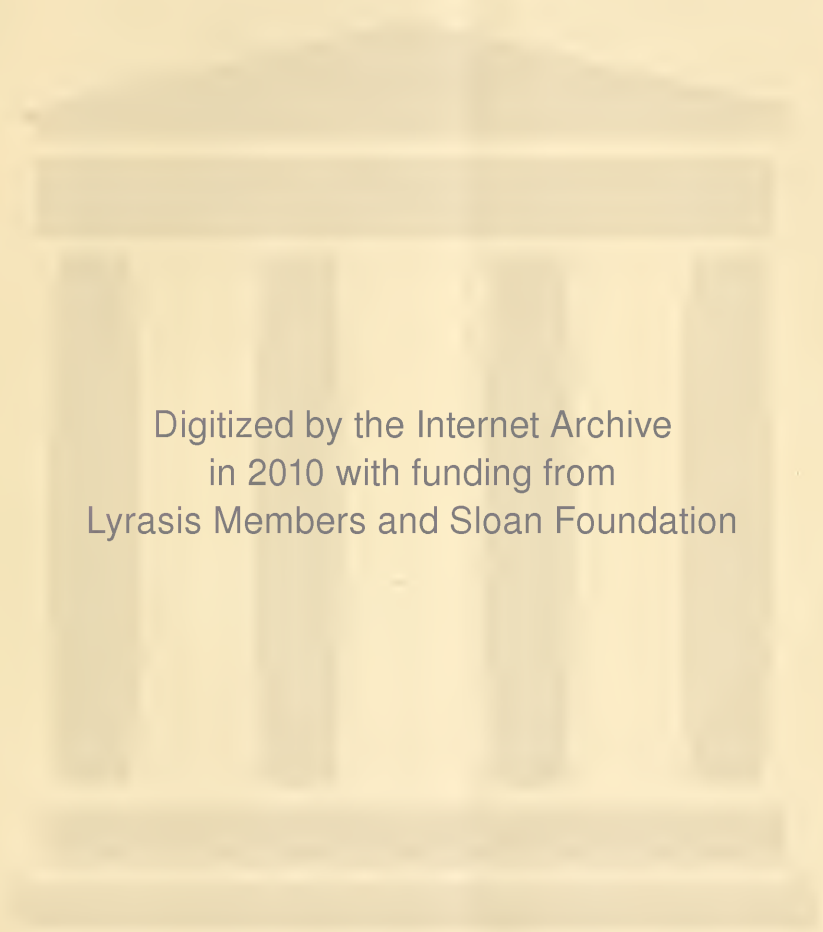
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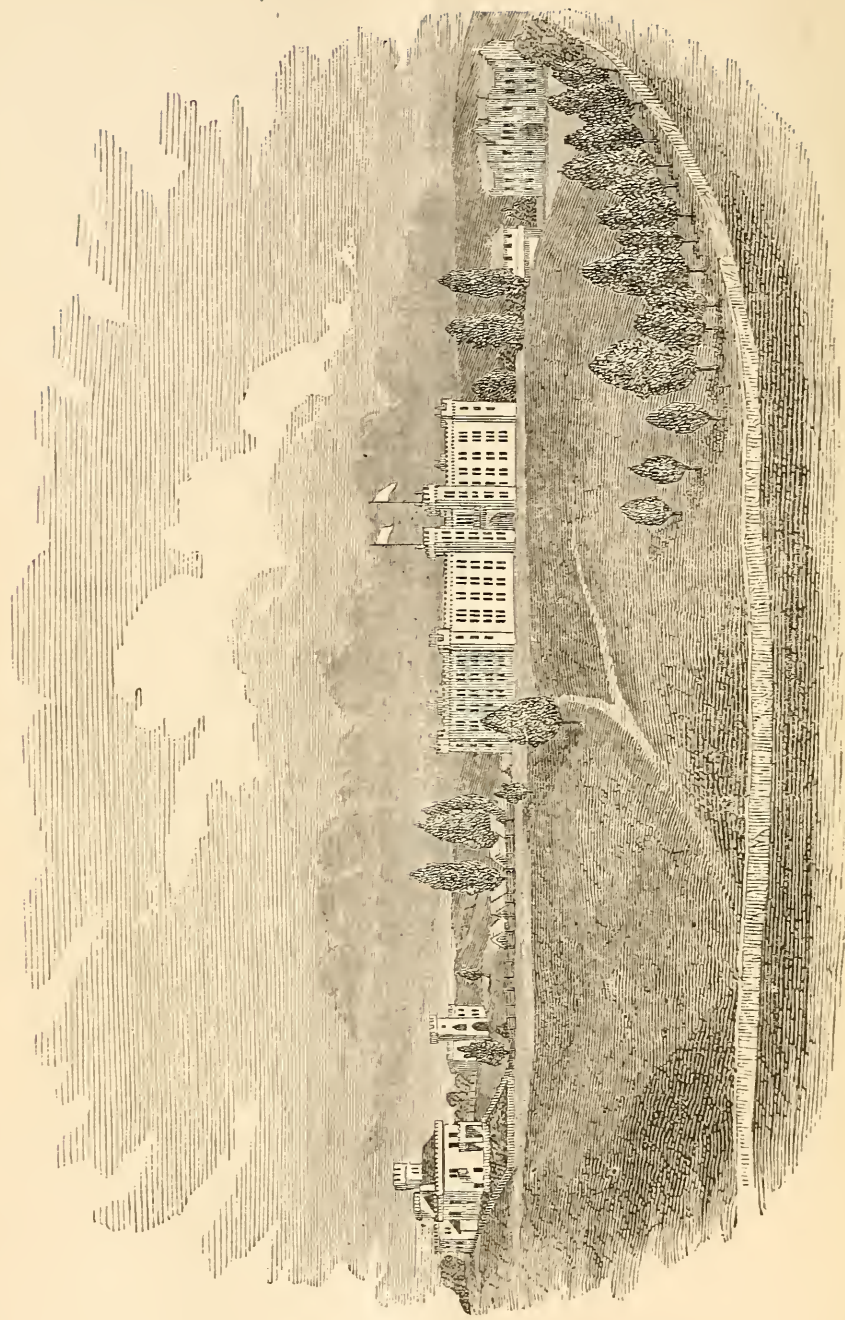
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VIRGINIA MILITARY INSTITUTE.

## Remarks.

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THE VIRGINIA MILITARY INSTITUTE was established, and is supported by the State of Virginia. An arsenal, containing 30,000 stand of arms, is located here, which was formerly guarded by a company of enlisted soldiers, at an annual expense of about \$6,000. In 1839, this appropriation was transferred to the support of a company of cadets, who, in addition to their duties as a guard, should also be placed under a course of instruction, upon the basis of the United States Military Academy at West Point. Upon this new system, the Institute has been in successful operation for eighteen years. The cadets admitted consist of two classes, *State* and *Pay* cadets. The Institute supplies to the State cadet his board and tuition; and in consideration thereof, he is required to teach two years after graduation. The Pay cadet is at his own expense, which averages \$375 per year, for every charge, *including clothing*. The State cadets are selected from those who are unable to bear their own expenses. The Institution has always had as many pupils as its buildings would accommodate, and numbers *thirty-two* State and *one hundred and sixty-eight* Pay Cadets. Applications are made, by letter, to the Superintendent prior to the first of July, each year, and appointments are made for both classes of cadets by the Board of Visitors, respect being had to their due apportionment among the several districts of the State.

When the vacancies in the Institute justify it, appointments are made from other States.

The Literary Fund of the State contributes \$1,500 per year to the Institute for the education of teachers, and the State has received tuition fees from the pay cadets to the amount of upwards of \$50,000 since its organization; which sum is applied to the increase of the number of State cadets, to the enlargement of the accommodations of the Institute, and to the support of a part of the corps of Professors.

The government of the Virginia Military Institute, although military in its organization, is carefully arranged for the protection and development of the moral character of the cadets. Attendance on the public services of the sanctuary and regular Bible instruction on the Sabbath are positively enjoined by the regulations.

The following extract from the Report of the Superintendent to the Board of Visitors, of June, 1859, will exhibit, in some degree, the influence of the moral government:



"There is no part of the duty of the Superintendent which weighs so heavily upon his mind and heart as that connected with the control and government of the moral conduct of those committed to his charge. No general idea of the wayward and depraved character of the human heart is at all equal to that which experience of the follies and vices of young men makes known to the conscientious teacher."

The great Head-Master of Rugby School gives utterance to his experience in the following striking language:

"Undoubtedly, this place (Rugby School), and other similar places, which receive us when we have quitted the state of childhood, and before our characters are formed in manhood, do partake somewhat of the character of the wilderness; and it is not unnatural that many should shrink back from them in fear. We see but too often the early beauty of the character sadly marred, its simplicity gone, its confidence chilled, its tenderness hardened. Where there was obedience, we find murmuring and self-will and pride. Where there was a true and blameless conversation, we find now something of falsehood, something of profaneness, something of impurity. I can well conceive what it must be to a parent to see his child return from school, for the first time, with the marks of this grievous change upon him. I can well conceive how bitterly he must regret having ever sent him to a place of so much danger; how fondly he must look back to the days of his early innocence. And if a parent feels thus, what must be our feelings, seeing that this evil has been wrought here? Are we not as those who, when pretending to give a wholesome draught, have mixed the cup with poison? How can we go on upholding a system, the effects of which appear to be so merely mischievous?"

My own experience but too painfully confirms these honest and truthful acknowledgements of Dr. Arnold; and I have no doubt the testimony from every school in our land would, if honestly brought out, speak the same verdict. But this is only one side of the picture. Let Dr. Arnold present the other also, and show the results, as well as the encouragements, of faithful effort in leading the young through the wilderness which meets them on the threshold of academic life.

"Believe me," he says, "that such questions must and ought to present themselves to the mind of every thinking man who is concerned in the management of a school; and I do think that we could not answer them satisfactorily, that our work would, absolutely, be unendurable, if we did not bear in mind that our eyes should look forward, and not backward—if we did not remember that the victory of fallen man is to be sought for, not in innocence, but in tried virtue. Comparing only the state of a boy, after his first half-year or year at school, with his earlier state as a child, and our reflections on the evil of our system would be bitter indeed. But when we compare a boy's state, after his first half-year or year at school, with what it is afterwards; when we see the clouds again clearing off; when we find coarseness succeeded again by delicacy; hardness

and selfishness broken up, and giving place to affection and benevolence; murmuring and self-will exchanged for humility and self-denial; and the profane, or impure, or false tongue uttering again only words of truth and purity; and when we see that all these good things are now, by God's grace, rooted in the character; that they have been tried, and grown up amidst the trial; that the knowledge of evil has made them hate it the more, and be more aware of it—then we can look upon our calling with patience, and even with thankfulness. We see the wilderness has been gone through triumphantly, and its dangers have hardened and strengthened the traveler for all his remaining pilgrimage. For the truth is, that to the knowledge of good and evil are we born, and it must come upon us sooner or later. In the common course of things, it comes about that age with which we are here most concerned. I do not mean that there are not faults in early childhood—we know that there are; but we know also, that with the strength and rapid growth of boyhood, there is a far greater development of these faults, and, particularly, far less of that submissiveness which belonged naturally to the helplessness of mere childhood. I suppose that, by an extreme care, the period of childhood might be prolonged considerably; but still it must end, and the knowledge of good and evil, in its full force, must come. I believe that this must be. I believe that no care can prevent it, and that an extreme attempt at carefulness, while it could not keep off the disorder, would weaken the strength of the constitution to bear it." \* \* \* \* \*

"Ignorance, absence of temptation, the presence of all good impressions, constitute much of the innocence of mere childhood—so beautiful while it lasts—so sure to be soon blighted. It is blighted in the first experience of life, most commonly when a boy first goes to school. Then his mere innocence, which, indeed, he may be said to have worn rather instinctively than from choice, becomes grievously polluted. It is indeed a discouraging season—the exact image of the ungenial springs of our natural year. But after this, there comes, as it were, a second beginning of life, when principle takes the place of innocence; when thought and inquiry awaken; when, out of the mere chaos of boyhood, the elements of the future character of the man begin to appear. Blessed are they for whom the confusion and disarray of their boyish life is quickened into a true life by the moving of the Spirit of God! Blessed are they for whom the beginnings of thought and inquiry are the beginnings also of faith and love, when the new character receives, as it is forming, the Christian seed, and the man is also a Christian. And then, this second beginning of life, resting on faith and conscious principle, and not on mere passive innocence, stands sure for the middle and the end."

I feel assured that the experience of Dr. Arnold, as to the results of academic life, under faithful discipline and instruction, has also been happily exemplified in the history of this Institution; and that the change which he so strikingly depicts, as witnessed in his own pupils, may be traced in the progress of every class that has been subjected to our discipline. I, too, have seen the modesty

and the purity of innocence gradually give way in the course of the first year, and changed into the roughness and waywardness and impurity which have marked the character of many a member of the third class. It has been at this critical culminating of the "knowledge of evil," that the discipline of the Institution has been most frequently exercised, and the patient labor of the teacher most earnestly called into requisition. But I, too, have seen a change take place, as the second class year advanced. There has been a gradual return to the primitive delicacy and purity and truthfulness; and these good qualities have not only matured in the *first-class-man* during his last year, but they have become "rooted in the character;" the early *habit* of virtue has been replaced by the settled *principle* of virtue; and the dangers of the "wilderness," which he has triumphantly passed through, have hardened and strengthened him for the pilgrimage of life now lying before him. Look at the class now presenting themselves for the honors of graduates of the Institution, and contrast them as they now appear with what they were two or three years ago; or contemplate the large second class, and see the characters it now presents, and remember what they were eighteen months ago, and all familiar with them will testify to the accuracy of the statement which I have made. But we have had more substantial grounds of encouragement still, founded upon considerations which have constituted the essential basis of the virtuous character to which I have referred. This Institution has graduated 330 members, exclusive of the present first class. Of these, 80, or about *one-fourth of the whole number*, were professors of religion when they graduated; 60 of whom, that is, *three-fourths of all the communicants, and about one-fifth of all the graduates, made their first profession of religion during their cadet-life*—and *not one graduate* (exclusive of the first graduating class, of which I cannot speak positively) *has ever left the Institution, who was not, at the time of graduation, thoroughly convinced of the Divine Character of our Holy Religion*. May we not hope that "the second beginning of life," to which Dr. Arnold refers, rested, to many of these, on faith, as well as on conscious principle, and that the Christian seed received here, has been since developed in the formation of many a Christian character?

These facts are significant. They not only give encouragement and hope to those who have had, amidst much darkness and many clouds, to struggle on in the laborious duty of teaching and disciplining the young here, but they furnish the most satisfactory evidence of the soundness of the system of discipline which characterizes this Institution; and this would be made still more apparent if an analysis were made of the material of which it is usually composed. I am thoroughly persuaded that the system of government of a Military Institution, when combined with careful, systematic Bible instruction, furnishes the best possible instrumentality for the awakening and development of religious character. The community of life and sentiment which peculiarly characterizes a Military School, furnishes a powerful bond of sympathy for good as well as evil, and no one, acquainted with the growth of piety in military life, could fail



to have noticed this. But the minute regulations of a Military School, which are so often objected to by some, serve to promote this end in a variety of ways.

An eloquent divine (*Caird*) has said, that "one reason why the sinful man does not 'understand his errors' is, that *sin can be truly measured only when it is resisted*. It is impossible to estimate the strength of the principle of evil in the soul till we begin to struggle with it; and the careless or sinful man—the man who, by supposition, is not striving with, but succumbing to sin—cannot know its force. *So long as evil reigns unopposed within the soul, it will reign, in a great degree, unobserved*. So long as a man passively and thoughtlessly yields his will to the sway of worldly principles or unholy desires and habits, he is in no condition to measure their intensity—scarcely to discover their existence. For in this, as in many other cases, *resistance is the best measure of force*." And a greater than *Caird* has said, that "by the law is the knowledge of sin." "I had not known lust, except the law had said, thou shalt not covet." The vices, the irregularities, the follies and the errors of the young, are brought to light, made manifest to them in the forming period of their lives, by the regulations to which they are subjected, when opportunities and means may be availed of to correct them; and thus the regulation acts as a school-master, to discipline such before it is too late. We see the wisdom of this provision in the experience of those families in which the restraints of parental authority are exercised; and while sinful propensities are manifested here, as in all other instances in which *law* operates, the contrast is no less striking as to the results of such a system and of that of unrestrained indulgence. The parent in the latter case scarcely knows or is conscious of his son's danger. No law restraining him, the misguided youth is lost before he or his parents had realized that he was in danger. In the other case, the parent finds opposition and rebellion on the part of his child—a constant disposition to substitute his own for the parent's will—frequent attempts to escape the penalties of established rules, by evasions or false excuses; but he firmly, yet affectionately, enforces respect for his authority, and he enjoys, in after-life, the satisfaction of seeing that the beneficial effects of his discipline have been to form the character of his son, and he realizes in his success the fulfilment of the Divine promise: "*Train up a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not depart from it*." The training may have exhibited the evil propensities—the wrong tempers of the child—but, by and by, when he is old, he will profit by it.

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His Excellency HENRY A. WISE, Governor of Virginia.

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NOTE.—The three special schools of application were organized by the Board of Visitors, July, 1859, and it is expected that they will be put into full operation in the course of the year. It is provided, by regulation, that no student shall enter either of these special schools until he shall have passed an approved examination on the studies of the two first years of the regular Academic course of the Institution.

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## MILITARY STAFF.

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## FIRST CLASS—(GRADUATES)—1859.

General Merit.	NAMES.	RESIDENCE.	English Studies.	Geography.	Mathematics.	French.	Latin.	Drawing.	Chemistry.	Natural Philosophy.	Engineering.	Moral Philosophy.	Geology.	Rhetoric.	Artillery Tactics.	Infantry Tactics.	Demerit For the Entire Term.	REMARKS.
*1	W. H. Clarke,	Hendon,	-	8	2	21	27	27	5	1	1	17	2	2	1	9	20	
*2	J. H. Chenuowith,	Radolph,	-	10	6	4	27	29	5	1	1	17	2	1	1	9	436	Second Lieutenant.
*3	J. W. Lyell,	Richmond Co.	-	11	14	4	4	11	6	3	3	9	10	4	3	11	87	First Lieutenant.
4	Scott Ship,	Campher,	-	1	9	6	25	24	8	11	15	2	2	5	15	7	107	Second Captain.
5	E. S. Hunter,	Campbell,	-	4	3	15	19	21	11	6	17	4	9	3	8	7	200	
6	C. V. Steptoe,	Bedford,	-	1	7	9	2	6	7	8	10	5	13	9	12	23	153	Second Lieutenant.
7	J. W. Lewis,	Bath,	-	26	11	7	16	16	14	7	7	10	13	9	9	4	190	
8	W. Keiser,	Hampshire,	-	5	10	5	9	26	2	5	20	7	6	6	9	4	436	
9	J. F. Tyler,	Lee,	-	3	4	11	17	26	15	4	4	14	16	7	4	10	690	First Captain.
10	W. H. Orey,	Campbell,	-	21	3	10	1	4	7	1	15	12	3	17	5	3	410	
11	J. D. H. Ross,	do.	-	12	13	8	3	18	9	12	14	13	12	10	20	18	475	First Lieutenant.
12	G. Ross,	Culp per,	-	22	12	16	10	13	16	10	9	15	18	15	6	17	179	Third Lieutenant.
13	C. J. Green,	Stafford,	-	29	15	12	7	10	13	16	18	16	14	12	16	13	357	
14	W. L. Wingfield,	Bedford,	-	18	17	19	26	23	13	13	6	21	4	22	13	26	965	
15	T. M. Massenburg,	Elizabeth City,	-	25	18	14	27	4	12	22	18	6	11	21	14	20	63	Quarter Master.
16	J. P. Minnetree,	Petersburg,	-	6	23	13	25	10	4	21	23	29	1	23	17	24	919	
17	W. B. Tabb,	Amelia,	-	23	20	26	19	8	17	19	19	3	5	2	10	16	510	
18	S. A. G. Hill,	King William,	-	20	19	15	16	2	29	15	25	19	15	13	19	19	47	
19	J. Ryland,	King & Queen,	-	13	20	22	33	19	29	23	10	11	23	16	11	19	909	Adjutant.
20	W. M. Palmer,	Halifax,	-	16	16	18	30	4	25	20	13	28	20	20	22	21	173	
21	J. H. Ham,	Elizabeth City,	-	19	8	17	25	15	1	27	12	27	21	25	23	5	486	
22	G. B. Cooke,	Norfolk Co.	-	13	25	21	14	30	3	18	24	20	20	27	24	5	411	
23	E. C. Hill,	King William,	-	13	26	24	21	5	20	21	26	18	25	19	27	14	96	
24	T. V. Williams,	Tazewell,	-	26	25	23	32	28	22	16	21	24	17	26	18	6	403	Third Lieutenant.
25	L. W. Mears,	Washington City,	-	16	26	27	29	18	17	28	14	29	19	11	28	28	474	
26	O. C. Henderson,	Petersburg,	-	18	1	20	5	12	15	24	22	23	26	24	21	29	587	
27	J. W. Kerr,	Washington City,	-	9	22	28	30	22	19	30	26	25	28	26	26	15	649	
28	D. H. Hardaway,	Norfoaway,	-	15	29	29	31	29	14	29	23	27	26	18	25	22	261	
29	T. M. Boyd,	Nelson,	-	7	35	27	26	23	20	29	29	22	27	23	29	27	603	

NOTE.—Names marked \* are officially reported to the Executive, conformably to a regulation which requires the names of the most distinguished Cadets, not exceeding three in each class, to be reported for this purpose at each annual examination.

NOTE.—An error having been made in the standing of the first class, when originally published, by the omission of Infantry Tactics, a correction has been made, and the above is the true standing, as determined by the record.

## SECOND CLASS—1859.

General Merit.	NAMES.	RESIDENCE.	Mathematics.	Natural Philosophy.	Chemistry.	Latin.	Drawing.	Demerit for the year.	REMARKS.
*1	J. G. Miller, -	Matthews, -	3	2	2	6	4	10	
*2	E. Cunningham, -	Powhatan, -	1	1	1	2	22	10	2d Sergeant.
*3	D. Poynor, -	Brunswick, -	2	3	9	1	21	10	Q. M. Sergeant.
4	S. F. Adams, -	Bedford, -	7	10	5	5	11	13	
5	J. H. Morrison, -	Brunswick, -	22	9	3	7	10	13	2d Sergeant.
6	C. A. Davidson, -	Rockbridge, -	5	19	10	19	7	66	
7	C. F. Urquhart, -	Isle of Wight, -	4	15	17	13	28	24	
8	A. S. Scott, -	Hardy, -	8	18	11	37	6	44	6th Sergeant.
9	J. R. Kent, -	Montgomery, -	16	4	23	29	26	30	4th Sergeant.
10	C. S. Lumsden, -	Petersburg, -	11	24	22	11	5	33	4th Sergeant.
11	J. M. Otey, -	Campbell, -	6	30	13	17	2	0	
12	O. H. Betts, -	Northumberland, -	25	6	6	16	46	149	
13	W. H. Morgan, -	Chesterfield, -	29	14	8	27	12	41	1st O. Sergeant.
14	J. P. Lynch, -	Richmond, -	36	8	7	34	16	0	
15	J. R. Hutter, -	Campbell, -	10	21	28	38	3	74	2d O. Sergeant.
16	J. P. Baltzell, -	Washington, -	20	13	19	33	30	49	
17	C. Breckinridge, -	Botetourt, -	17	16	18	41	31	118	
18	J. B. Cherry, -	Norfolk City, -	12	23	14	25	43	148	
19	C. L. Hardeman, -	Henry, -	23	7	34	20	23	174	
20	W. A. Brockenbrough, -	Richmond City, -	30	12	33	35	14	0	6th Sergeant.
21	A. T. Walden, -	Rappahannock, -	26	30	12	28	20	13	
22	W. N. P. Otey, -	Campbell, -	9	35	43	21	1	28	3d Sergeant.
23	W. G. Paxton, -	Rockbridge, -	24	32	26	3	13	81	
24	W. B. Bentley, -	Montgomery, -	21	17	37	15	33	109	
25	G. D. Parker, -	Norfolk City, -	48	11	38	36	35	113	Color Sergeant.
26	J. M. Oliver, -	Mecklenburg, -	37	22	25	4	19	52	
27	J. T. Tosh, -	Roanoke, -	15	38	30	12	17	156	Serg't Major.
28	A. B. Paris, -	Charlotte, -	14	41	4	32	37	200	
29	J. W. McCarty, -	Loudoun, -	27	20	42	39	8	61	
30	J. B. Moseley, -	Appomattox, -	31	34	15	40	24	33	5th Sergeant.
31	J. H. Hebard, -	Fluvanna, -	39	27	31	9	41	58	
32	B. C. Wherry, -	Richmond City, -	33	36	27	31	42	8	
33	N. C. Harris, -	Bedford, -	28	42	20	8	39	44	
34	J. K. Marshall, -	Fauquier, -	34	40	16	30	25	18	
35	W. B. Pendleton, -	Louisa, -	43	29	29	22	29	25	5th Sergeant.
36	V. M. Johnson, -	Spotsylvania, -	35	37	32	10	15	138	
37	H. H. Fauntleroy, -	Richmond, -	42	31	24	18	31	112	
38	W. F. Sydnor, -	Petersburg, -	32	36	41	42	9	74	
39	T. M. Semmes, -	Richmond City, -	41	28	31	24	32	196	3d Sergeant.
40	G. Norton, -	do. -	40	25	36	23	38	198	
41	W. Overton, -	Louisa, -	38	33	39	26	27	184	[conduct.
	E. M. Hardy, -	City of Norfolk, -	19	5	25	14	18	269	Deficient in
	C. H. Harris, -	Brunswick, -	13	43	40	36	354		do. do.

## THIRD CLASS—1859.

General Merit.	NAMES.	RESIDENCE.	Mathematics.	Latin.	French.	Drawing.	Declamation.	Composition.	Demerit for the year.	REMARKS.
*1	R. L. Williams, -	Essex, - -	1	2	3	4	1	12	19	1st Corporal.
*2	H. W. Hunter, -	Norfolk City, -	2	6	2	9	4	8	15	
*3	W. E. Park, -	Jackson, - -	3	7	4	7	7	4	108	
4	T. S. Gallaway, -	North Carolina, -	6	1	7	15	2	2	29	1st Corporal.
5	E. M. Morrison, -	Isle of Wight, -	5	3	6	13	16	1	65	
6	B. E. Coltrane, -	Carroll, - -	4	11	16	6	13	5	13	
7	W. H. Bray, -	Essex, - -	7	4	5	12	9	3	108	
8	W. E. Taylor, -	Norfolk City, -	8	5	1	16	11	14	49	
9	W. A. Smith, -	King George, -	13	15	9	2	12	7	23	
10	W. P. Gregory, -	Mecklenburg, -	10	13	15	5	8	16	61	Color Corporal. Corporal.
11	R. S. Majett, -	Southampton, -	12	10	10	10	6	11	64	
12	T. R. Dunn, -	Petersburg, -	9	14	13	1	15	18	200	
13	C. Lawson, -	Richmond City, -	11	8	11	18	3	6		
14	J. Heth, -	do. - -	15	12	8	17	17	17	198	
	J. W. Houck, -	Rockingham, -	14	def.	12	8	14	9	157	
	T. G. Hart, -	Fauquier, - -		16	18	14		15	81	[in math's. Sick—Not ex'd
	E. S. Wooldridge, -	Richmond City, -	def.	9	14	11	10	13	206	Def't in conduct.
	J. W. Willcox, -	Charles City, -	def.		17	3	5	10	92	

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## FOURTH CLASS—1859.

General Merit.	NAMES.	RESIDENCE.	Geography.	Mathematics.	French.	Drawing.	Composition.	Declamation.	Demerit for the year.	REMARKS.	
*1	W. B. Prichard,	Petersburg,	-	3	3	3	4	7	7	31	Def't in conduct. [French. [in Math's and Absent—not ex'd
*2	C. C. Wight,	Charles City,	-	2	7	1	15	17	10	14	
*3	J. B. Hardy,	New Orleans,	-	4	2	6	9	1	2	175	
4	E. H. Mohler,	Page,	-	7	4	21	7	23	9	41	
5	E. B. Goode,	Mecklenburg,	-	13	6	12	6	11	23	10	
6	T. H. Smith,	V. M. I.	-	15	5	5	1	13	11	172	
7	B. F. Bishop,	Sussex,	-	5	12	4	5	9	24	56	
8	H. F. Hardy,	New Orleans,	-	11	1	8	27	6	4	196	
9	T. P. Turner,	Clarke,	-	8	15	7	19	10	8	0	
10	E. M. Dabney,	Albemarle,	-	12	10	26	11	18	29	80	
11	A. H. Gregory,	North Carolina,	-	25	9	13	25	40	18	20	
12	G. Y. Booker,	Lynchburg,	-	1	18	14	8	12	30	166	
13	R. G. Wharton,	Richmond,	-	9	11	9	31	38	33	134	
14	W. P. Robinson,	Pittsylvania,	-	10	19	10	3	35	14	147	
15	W. W. Reveley,	Appomattox,	-	6	20	19	38	5	1	58	
16	T. W. Lubbock,	Texas,	-	31	17	18	10	4	5	196	
17	W. D. Waller,	Spotsylvania,	-	21	13	24	37	36	20	164	
18	J. M. Pannill,	Henry,	-	29	8	27	28	34	40	122	
19	W. T. Fry,	Rockingham,	-	27	26	2	30	14	3	21	
20	J. A. Hairston,	Henry,	-	19	16	11	40	2	27	200	
21	J. B. Barnes,	Florida,	-	17	26	32	12	19	43	128	
22	John D. Baird,	Richmond City,	-	27	14	31	2	39	41	181	
23	C. H. Preston,	Smythe,	-	14	24	17	18	24	6	187	
24	E. Kirby,	Richmond,	-	20	21	16	33	33	34	103	
25	J. D. Young,	Petersburg,	-	24	23	20	26	31	31	199	
26	O. A. Browne,	Accomac,	-	22	29	22	20	20	19	177	
27	W. W. Spratley,	Brunswick,	-	26	22	28	34	22	38	100	
28	D. C. Lynch,	Washington,	-	33	25	37	21	32	36	200	
	J. F. Morgan,	Chesterfield,	-	32	28	15	24	28	25	279	
	J. A. Broome,	Georgia,	-	28	def.	23	16	8	12	16	
	E. P. Nalle,	Washington City,	-	30	def.	35	14	27	28	116	
	J. A. Armistead,	Lynchburg,	-		def.	29	13	41	21	70	
	G. K. Griggs,	Henry,	-	18	def.	30	29	3	16	14	
	J. C. Leftwich,	Bedford,	-		def.	36	35	26	35	0	
	W. H. Kyle,	Roanoke,	-	32	def.	34	32	37	32	173	
	A. P. Williams,	Rockbridge,	-		def.	25	41	15	15	294	
	H. E. Gouldman,	Lynchburg,	-	23	def.	33	17	21	37	186	
	T. H. Cox,	Northumberland,	-		def.	38	36	30	26	128	
	R. J. Harding,	Richmond,	-	16		22	16	22	171		
	J. T. Jacobs,	Missouri,	-		def.	39	23	25	17	181	
	J. E. Dodson,	Lunenburg,	-		def.	40	39	29	39	196	



# ROLL OF CADETS,

## ARRANGED ACCORDING TO MERIT IN CONDUCT,

### For the year ending July 1st, 1859.

NAMES.	Class.	Demerit.	NAMES.	Class.	Demerit.
W. A. Brockenbrough,.....	2	0	G. Ross,.....	1	33
E. C. Hill, . . . . .	1	0	J. B. Moseley,.....	2	33
A. G. Hill,.....	1	0	C. L. Lumsden,.....	2	33
J. Ryland,.....	1	0	T. V. Williams,.....	1	37
W. M. Palmer,.....	1	0	C. G. Steptoe,..	1	39
W. H. Clarke, . . . . .	1	0	E. G. Mohler,.....	4	41
J. W. Lyell,.....	1	0	W. H. Morgan,.....	2	41
W. L. Wingfield,.....	1	0	A. S. Scott,.....	2	44
J. W. Lewis,.....	1	0	N. C. Harris,.....	2	44
J. H. Chenowith,.....	1	0	J. P. Baltzell,.....	2	49
Scott Ship,.....	1	0	W. E. Taylor,.....	3	49
J. M. Otey,.....	2	0	J. M. Oliver,.....	2	52
J. P. Lynch,.....	2	0	W. Keiter,.....	1	53
T. P. Turner,.....	4	0	B. F. Bishop,.....	4	56
J. C. Leftwich,.....	4	0	J. H. Hebard,.....	2	58
B. C. Wherry,.....	2	8	W. W. Reveley,.....	4	58
E. B. Goode,.....	4	10	D. H. Hardaway,.....	1	59
E. Cunningham,.....	2	10	W. P. Gregory,.....	3	61
J. G. Miller,.....	2	10	J. W. McCarty,.....	2	61
D. Poynor,.....	2	10	E. M. Dabney,.....	4	62
S. F. Adams,.....	2	13	T. M. Massenburg,.....	1	63
J. H. Morrison,.....	2	13	R. S. Majett,...	3	64
J. B. Coltrane,.....	3	13	E. M. Morrison,.....	3	65
A. T. Walden,.....	2	13	C. A. Davidson,.....	2	66
C. C. Wight,.....	4	14	J. A. Armistead,.....	4	70
G. K. Griggs,.....	4	14	E. S. Hutter,.....	1	72
H. W. Hunter,.....	3	15	J. R. Hutter,.....	2	74
J. A. Broome,.....	4	16	W. F. Sydnor,.....	2	74
J. K. Marshall,.....	2	18	C. J. Green,.....	1	75
R. L. Williams,.....	3	19	T. G. Hart,.....	3	81
A. H. Gregory,.....	4	20	W. G. Paxton,.....	2	81
W. L. Fry,.....	4	21	O. C. Henderson,.....	1	91
W. Smith, . . . . .	3	23	J. W. Willcox,.....	3	92
C. F. Urquhart,.....	2	24	J. P. Minetree,.....	1	93
W. B. Pendleton,.....	2	25	W. W. Spratley,.....	4	100
W. N. P. Otey,...	2	28	L. W. Mears,.....	1	101
T. S. Gallaway,.....	3	29	E. Kirby,.....	4	103
J. R. Kent, . . . . .	2	30	W. H. Bray,...	3	108
W. B. Prichard, . . . . .	4	31	W. E. Park,.....	3	108

## ROLL OF CADETS—(CONTINUED)—1859.

NAMES.	Class.	Demerit.	NAMES.	Class.	Demerit.
W. B. Bentley,.....	2	109	J. D. Baird,.....	4	181
G. B. Cooke,.....	1	111	J. T. Jacobs,.....	4	181
H. H. Fauntleroy,.....	2	112	J. W. Kerr,.....	1	181
G. D. Parker,.....	2	113	W. Overton,.....	2	184
E. P. Nalle,.....	4	116	H. E. Gouldman,.....	4	186
C. Breckinridge,.....	2	118	C. H. Preston,.....	4	187
J. M. Pannill,.....	4	122	J. H. Ham,.....	1	195
T. H. Cox,.....	4	128	J. F. Tyler,.....	1	195
J. B. Barnes,.....	4	128	J. D. H. Ross,.....	1	195
R. J. Wharton,.....	4	134	T. M. Semmes,.....	2	196
V. M. Johnson,.....	2	138	J. E. Dodson,.....	4	196
W. P. Robinson,.....	4	147	T. W. Lubbock,.....	4	196
J. B. Cherry,.....	2	148	H. F. Hardy,.....	4	196
O. H. Betts,.....	2	149	T. M. Boyd,.....	1	197
W. B. Tabb,.....	1	150	G. Norton,.....	2	198
J. T. Tosh,.....	2	156	J. Heth,.....	3	198
J. W. Houck,.....	3	157	J. D. Young,.....	4	199
W. H. Otey,.....	1	160	A. B. Paris,.....	2	200
W. D. Waller,.....	4	164	J. D. Lynch,.....	4	200
G. Y. Booker,.....	4	166	J. A. Hairston,.....	4	200
J. B. Hardy,.....	4	171	T. R. Dunn,.....	3	200
R. J. Harding,.....	4	171	† E. L. Wooldridge,.....	3	206
T. H. Smith,.....	4	172	† E. M. Hardy,.....	2	269
W. H. Kyle,.....	4	173	† J. F. Morgan,.....	4	272
C. L. Hardeman,.....	2	174	† A. P. Williams,.....	4	294
O. A. Browne,.....	4	179	† C. H. Harris,.....	2	354

† Deficient in conduct.

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## NEW APPOINTMENTS—1859.

No.	NAMES.	RESIDENCE.	No.	NAMES.	RESIDENCE.
1	C. H. McLane,	Monongalia.	51	E. M. McDonell,	Savannah, Ga.
2	E. G. Curry,	Augusta.	52	W. W. McKaig,	Cumberland, Md.
3	W. P. Moreley,	Buckingham.	53	A. Lee Scott,	Carroll C'y, Md.
4	Joseph Segar, Jr.	Northampton.	54	J. H. Lionberger,	Page.
5	E. D. Yancey,	Culpeper.	55	Charles Terry,	Campbell.
6	J. Farmer,	Smythe.	56	S. D. Langhorne,	do.
7	F. G. Jarrell.	Mercer.	57	J. Gilliam,	Southampton.
8	W. H. Janney,	Berkeley.	58	R. Leigh,	do.
9	W. A. Obenchain,	Botetourt.	59	Frank Humes,	Washington C'y.
10	S. Jones,	Wheeling.	60	C. C. Flowerree.	Missouri.
11	C. A. Holt,	Barbour.	61	William Sherwell,	Williamsburg.
12	R. J. Anthony,	Alleghany.	62	—— Hebert,	New Orleans.
13	L. Crittenden,	Richmond C'y.	63	—— Hebert,	do.
14	E. T. Freeman,	Norfolk City.	64	Joseph Cocke,	Botetourt.
15	W. E. Hill,	Craig.	65	Jas. White,	Washington C'y.
16	J. Burke,	King William.	66	W. Y. Hannum,	do.
17	J. T. James,	Botetourt.	67	C. E. Morgan,	Chesterfield.
18	G. W. Brown,	Fairfax.	68	H. M. Boyd,	Nelson
19	J. C. Neimeyer,	Norfolk City.	69	R. B. Sydnor,	Northumberland.
20	Thomas Alexander,	Northumberland.	70	Mac G. Goodwyn,	New Orleans.
21	S. Downing, Jr.	Lancaster.	71	F. W. Goodwyn,	do.
22	J. Chalmers,	Halifax.	72	S. H. Hobson,	Tennessee.
23	J. W. Turner,	Charles City.	73	R. C. Griffith,	do.
24	J. Gilmore,	Rockbridge.	74	G. A. Magruder,	Washington City.
25	E. S. Gregory,	Mecklenburg.	75	J. H. Williams,	Northampton.
26	W. H. Smith,	do.	76	S. W. Jeffress,	Nottoway.
27	J. C. Bacon,	do.	77	B. R. Swoope,	Augusta.
28	D. H. Hanson,	Russell.	78	J. W. Francis,	Southampton.
29	J. M. Love,	Fairfax.	79	N. R. Coleman,	Halifax.
30	J. Cunningham,	Powhatan.	80	W. H. Harriss,	Nicholas.
31	J. W. Lindsay,	North Carolina.	81	John T. Gibbs,	V. M. I.
32	W. W. West,	Savannah, Ga.	82	W. B. Hardy,	Middlesex.
33	W. Blankenship,	Amelia.	83	J. H. Latimer,	Prince William.
34	J. Breedlove.	New Orleans.	84	J. B. Poulson,	Norfolk C'y.
35	E. B. Starke,	do.	85	W. R. Moore,	Pocahontas.
36	—— Newman,	Jackson, N. C.	86	James Thomson,	Jefferson.
37	W. N. Mercer,	Tennessee.	87	John Thompson,	Putnam.
38	S. P. Ker,	Northampton.	88	J. M. Beale,	Mason.
39	H. Burgwyn,	North Carolina.	89	L. J. Gee.	Mecklenburg.
40	W. H. Chapman,	Alabama.	90	J. Littlejohn,	North Carolina.
41	J. E. Orr,	Petersburg,	91	P. M. Curry,	Texas.
42	J. Walthall,	North Carolina.	92	S. Nichols,	Alabama.
43	F. Stafford,	Alabama.	93	—— Dunston,	Petersburg.
44	W. Dashiell,	North Carolina.	94	John Taylor,	D. C.
45	J. W. Cuyler,	Washington City.	95	John Hall,	Mason.
46	H. H. Christmas,	Fauquier.	96	K. Sylvester,	Norfolk City.
47	S. S. Carpenter,	Alleghany.	97	S. Hodges,	do.
48	T. Turner,	Missouri.	98	Henry A. Wise, Jr.	do.
49	Peyton Johnston,	Richmond City.	99	Dorman Davidson,	Indiana.
50	G. J. Kollock,	Savannah, Ga.			

## SYNOPSIS

OF THE

COURSE OF STUDIES AT THE VIRGINIA MILITARY INSTITUTE.

		STUDIES.	TEXT BOOKS.
First Year.	FIFTH CLASS.	Arithmetic. Algebra to Equations, 2d Degree. Geometry to 5th Book. English Grammar. Geography. Declamation and Composition.	Smith and Duke's Arithmetic. Smith's Algebra. Davies' Legendre, Geometry. Bullion's Grammar. Mitchell's Geography.
Second Year.	FOURTH CLASS.	Algebra Completed. Geometry Completed. Plane and Spherical Trigonometry. Geography. French. Latin. English Studies with Composition and Declamation.	Smith's Algebra. Davies' Legendre, Geometry. do do do. Mitchell's Geography. Bolmar's Levizac's Grammar. Picot, Nos. 5 and 6.
Third Year.	THIRD CLASS.	Analytical Geometry. Descriptive Geometry. Shades, Shadows and Perspective. Surveying. Differential and Integral Calculus. French. Latin. Drawing. Declamation and Composition.	Smith's Biot Analytical Geometry. Davies' Descriptive Geometry. Lectures. Davies' Surveying. Courtenay's Calculus. Gil Blas. Picot No. 7, &c., &c. Bullion's Grammar, Cæsar, Salust, Virgil, Cicero and Livy.
Fourth Year.	2ND CLASS.	Natural Philosophy. Chemistry. Latin. Drawing. Rhetorical Exercises.	Bartlett's Optics, Mechanics and Astronomy. Roger's Turner. Tacitus, Horace, Terrence.
Fifth Year.	FIRST CLASS.	Geology and Mineralogy. Agricultural Chemistry. Military Engineering. Civil Engineering. Rhetoric. Logic. Mental Philosophy. Moral Philosophy. History. Constitution of United States. Infantry Tactics. Artillery.	Hitchcock and Dana. Norton's Elements. Mahan. Lectures by Professor. Wheateley and Blair. Wheateley. Wayland. Paley and Butler. Dew's Lectures. Upshur's Notes and Bayard. Scott, 3 volumes, and Hardee. Same as at U. S. Mil. Academy.

NOTE.—Cadets on admission may enter the *fifth*, *fourth*, *third* or *second* class, according to qualification upon examination—but no cadet can enter a higher class than the second—and each cadet is required to remain two years, unless sooner discharged.



## Explanation of Conduct Roll.

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All offences against Orders or Regulations are recorded.

These offences are divided into seven grades; each of which comprises offences of nearly the same degree of criminality. The degree of criminality of offences of each grade is expressed by a number, as follows:

Offences of the 1st grade by 10

Do	"	2d	"	8
Do	"	3d	"	5
Do	"	4th	"	4
Do	"	5th	"	3
Do	"	6th	"	2
Do	"	7th	"	1

For each year (after the first year) that a Cadet has been a member of the Institute, his offences are made to count more, by adding to the number expressing the degree of criminality, of each offence, one-sixth for the third class—one-third for the second class—and one-half for the first class.

At the end of the Academic year, these numbers are added up, and the sum thus obtained is that found in the column of "*demerit*."


When a Cadet has more than 100 demerit by the 1st of January, or 200 in one year, he is dismissed *ipso facto*.


ESTIMATED ANNUAL EXPENSES  
OF A PAY CADET AT THE VIRGINIA MILITARY INSTITUTE.

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Tuition, - - - - -	\$60 00
Fee for Medical Attendance, - -	5 00
Library Fee, - - - - -	2 00
Board for 12 months at \$11 per month, -	132 00
Washing, for 12 months, at \$1 50 per month, -	18 00
Fuel and Light, - - - - -	18 00
Room-Furniture and Servants, - -	5 00
Books, (average) - - - - -	12 00
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	\$252 00

The estimated average annual cost for uniform and clothing is about \$125; but as Cadets vary so much in wear and tear of their clothing, and in the care which they take of it, the Institute does not bind itself that this estimate shall not be exceeded. The estimate is founded upon long experience, and is believed to be fully sufficient; while constant supervision is exercised over the expenses to guard against excessive or wasteful extravagance, by a regulation which makes the Institute supply the clothing at cost, and permits no article to be issued to any Cadet except upon the order of the Superintendent.

 The fees for tuition and medical attendance are required to be paid in advance; and a deposite is also required to be made semi-annually in advance, sufficient to cover the expenses of the Cadet for six months.

 Should a Cadet leave the Institute before the expiration of the period for which he has made an advance, the unexpended balance is refunded to him, *except the fees for tuition and medical attendance*, which are in all cases retained.

# GRADUATES

OF THE

## VIRGINIA MILITARY INSTITUTE,

SINCE ITS ORGANIZATION.

NO.	NAMES.	RESIDENCE.	Date of graduation.	Graduation No.	REMARKS.
			July 4,		
*1	W. D. Fair,	Amherst,	1842	1865.5	Lawyer—Teacher.
*2	W. H. Henderson,	Loudoun,	do	1855.3	Lawyer. [Mil. Ac.
3	J. B. Strange,	Fluvanna,	do	1828.6	Principal Albemarle
4	T. J. B. Cramer,	Frederick,	do	1802.5	Teacher.
5	E. Pendleton,	Botetourt,	do	1791.7	Lawyer,
6	J. H. Lawrence,	Caroline,	do	1776.4	Dentist.
7	W. M. Elliott,	Buckingham,	do	1771.8	Editor Rich'd Whig.
8	J. H. Jameson,	Culpeper,	do	1762.	Lawyer.
†9	C. P. Dyerle,	Montgomery,	do	1746.	Assis't Surg. U. S. A.
10	J. T. Smith,	Norfolk,	do	1735.4	[Tennessee.
11	W. Forbes,	Richmond,	do	1721.	Prof. Math. Unive'ty.
12	V. C. Saunders,	Loudoun,	do	1706.5	Teacher.
13	J. W. Bell,	Augusta,	do	1705.5	Farmer.
14	O. M. Knight,	Nottoway,	do	1699.3	Physician.
15	James Marshall,	Warren,	do	1616.3	Farmer.
16	L. A. Garnett,	Essex,	do	1586.6	Lawyer.
			July 4,		
*17	N. H. Campbell,	Bedford,	1843	1839.	Lawyer.
*18	J. B. Dorman,	Rockbridge,	do	1834.5	Lawyer.
*19	J. W. Wildman,	Loudoun,	do	1834.5	Merchant.
20	H. T. Barton,	Spottsylvania,	do	1833.5	Physician.
21	W. J. Warden,	Augusta,	do	1798.7	Clergyman.
22	W. C. Jeffress,	Nottoway,	do	1784.9	Lawyer. [Macon Col.
23	J. C. Willis,	Isle of Wight,	do	1776.	Prof. Math. Randolph
24	V. H. Rodes,	Campbell,	do	1757.6	Merchant.
25	J. L. Bryan,	Petersburg,	do	1706.9	Physician.
26	E. Winston,	Amherst,	do	1696.9	Civil Engineer.
†27	W. S. Beale,	Shenandoah,	do	1652.8	Merchant.
28	J. T. Washington,	Westmoreland,	do	1625.9	Deputy Sheriff.
29	G. W. Williams,	Roanoke,	do	1621.4	Teacher.
			July 4,		
*30	J. H. Pitts,	Essex,	1844	1775.5	Prin'p'l Rumford Ac.
*31	M. McKennie,	Albemarle,	do	1771.	Physician.
32	A. C. Cummings,	Washington,	do	1754.	Lawyer.
33	J. A. Campbell,	Washington,	do	1750.3	Lawyer.
34	G. A. Porterfield,	Berkeley,	do	1735.	C. Survey. [Va. Leg.
35	J. S. Burks,	Bedford,	do	1695.5	Farmer and member
36	E. Taylor,	Caroline,	do	1678.	Farmer.

NO.	NAMES.	RESIDENCE.	Date of Graduation.	Graduation No.	REMARKS.
37	W. H. Richardson,	Henrico,	July 4, 1844	1617	Adj. General's Office.
38	J. B. Clemens,	Ohio,	do	1568.3	Physician.
*39	H. T. Lee,	Frederick,	July 4, 1845	1880.9	Clergyman. Teacher.
*40	R. T. W. Duke,	Albemarle,	do	1860.5	Lawyer. Teacher.
41	J. B. Sherrard,	Hampshire,	do	1849	Merchant.
42	R. H. Simpson,	Warren,	do	1827.7	Teacher.
43	W. H. R. Wheelwright,	Westmoreland,	do	1827	Clergyman. Teacher.
†44	H. B. Hill,	Buckingham,	do	1826.5	Teacher.
45	D. A. Langhorne,	Campbell,	do	1817.5	Physician. Prof. in
46	C. Boggess,	Harrison,	do	1801	Lawyer. [Ly'g Col.
†47	W. H. Baker,	Frederick,	do	1773.9	Lawyer.
48	R. M. Wiley,	Botetourt,	do	1714	Farmer and mem. Va.
49	V. T. Churchman,	Augusta,	do	1664.3	Physician. [Leg.
50	J. R. Cabell,	Pittsylvania,	do	1651.5	Physician.
51	A. H. Powell,	Brunswick,	do	1651.5	Clergyman.
52	H. W. Williamson,	Norfolk,	do	1647.5	Civil Engineer.
53	J. B. Moorman,	Pendleton,	do	1640	Teacher.
†54	J. P. Mason,	Rappahannock,	do	1634.5	Teacher.
55	W. H. Stith,	Richmond,	do	1577.5	Civ. Eng. Teacher.
56	E. M. Anthony,	Botetourt,	do	1529.5	Lawyer.
57	R. L. Walker,	Albemarle,	do	1449	Civ. Eng. Farmer.
†*58	T. B. Robertson,	Richmond,	July 4, 1846	1879	Lawyer and Profes'r
*59	J. Q. Marr,	Fauquier,	do	1832.9	Sheriff. [Math
60	W. M. Nelson,	Clarke,	do	1798.9	Clergyman. Teacher
61	R. E. Colston,	Berkeley,	do	1759.5	Professor of French
62	R. H. Keeling,	Richmond,	do	1743.5	[V. M. I.
63	G. W. Bruce,	Frederick,	do	1715.5	Physician.
64	J. C. Porter,	Orange,	do	1713.5	Teacher.
65	J. M. Patton, Jr.	Richmond City,	do	1703	Lawyer.
66	Edmund Goode,	Bedford,	do	1663	Teacher.
67	Wm. C. Leyburn,	Rockbridge,	do	1661	Farmer and Merch't.
68	P. A. Fitzhugh,	Middlesex,	do	1642.5	Physician. Teacher.
69	R. Tyler,	Prince William,	do	1594.5	Physician.
70	R. Mills,	Richmond,	do	1548.5	Farmer.
71	W. J. Green,	Stafford,	do	1510.5	Merchant.
*72	R. H. Sinton,	Henrico,	July 4, 1847	2075	Merchant.
*73	G. C. Wharton,	Culpeper,	do	2060.5	Civil Engineer.
74	J. Y. Page,	Clarke,	do	2029	Lawyer.
75	D. L. Powell,	Loudoun,	do	2002.5	Prof. Sou. Fem. Inst.
76	J. C. Moncure,	Stafford,	do	1994	Lawyer.
77	J. P. Welsh,	Madison,	do	1991.5	Teacher. Lawyer.
78	H. B. Smyth,	Wythe,	do	1982	Teacher.
79	Wm. Mahone,	Southampton,	do	1974.3	Chf. Eng. Nor. & Pet.
80	Samuel McGrew,	Preston,	do	1955.5	Teacher. [Railroad.
81	B. L. Chrisman,	Rockingham,	do	1878.5	Physician.



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†82	J. M. Claytor,	Campbell,	July 4, 1847	1864.5	Civil Engineer.
83	W. Downs,	Rockbridge,	do	1836	Clergyman. Teacher.
*84	S. T. Pendleton,	Campbell,	July 4, 1848	1986	Civil Eng. Teacher.
*85	J. C. Council,	Norfolk,	do	1958.5	Principal of Academy
†86	J. M. Cary,	Greenbrier,	do	1941	Teacher.
87	C. V. Winfree,	Campbell,	do	1934.5	Civil Engineer.
88	C. A. Derby,	Dinwiddie,	do	1932	Clergy'n. Prof. Mat.
89	A. L. Rives,	Albemarle,	do	1930	Civ. Eng. [Geo. Mil.
90	J. R. Jones,	Rockingham,	do	1928.5	Teacher. [Acad.
91	J. T. Ellis,	Amherst,	do	1923.5	Merchant.
92	J. P. Beale,	Westmoreland,	do	1910	Clergyman.
93	R. E. Rodes,	Campbell,	do	1887	Chief Engineer.
†94	J. S. Gamble,	Hardy,	do	1865.6	Prin. Norfolk Acad.
95	C. Carter,	Charles City,	do	1859	Manufacturer.
†96	C. W. Cary,	Greenbrier,	do	1851.5	Physician.
97	W. H. Pryor,	Dinwiddie,	do	1849.5	Civil Eng. Merchant.
98	E. G. Wall,	Frederick,	do	1833.5	Civil Engineer.
99	N. Berkeley,	Loudoun,	do	1819	Civil Eng. Farmer.
100	G. W. Robertson,	Warwick,	do	1803.5	Civil Engineer.
101	J. Jones,	Jefferson,	do	1800	Teacher. Clergyman.
102	N. Tyler,	Prince William,	do	1795.5	Lawyer. Editor Rich.
103	J. G. Brodnax,	Dinwiddie,	do	1790	Physician. [Equirer.
104	F. B. Jones,	Frederick,	do	1790	Farmer.
105	B. G. Baldwin,	Augusta,	do	1781	U. S. Mil. Storekeeper
106	W. W. Finney,	Powhatan,	do	1748.5	
107	R. C. Trigg,	Montgomery,	do	1624.5	
*108	John Lawson,	Richmond City,	July 4, 1849	2087.5	Civil Engineer.
*109	J. W. Massie,	Augusta,	do	2081.7	Lawyer. [College.
110	S. Garland, Jr.	Campbell,	do	2079.2	Lawyer. Prof. Lyn'g
111	E. T. Fristoe,	Rappahannock,	do	2057.7	Prof. Math. Col. Col.
112	J. W. Allen,	Bedford,	do	2051.2	Teacher. Farmer.
113	Robert Gatewood,	Norfolk City,	do	2046.2	Clergyman. Teacher
114	W. J. Morrisett,	Chesterfield,	do	2059.7	Teacher.
115	T. H. Carter,	Clarke,	do	1996	Physician. Farmer.
116	Richard Pollard, Jr.	Albemarle,	do	1989	Merchant.
117	Richard Logan, Jr.	Halifax,	do	1977.2	Civil Engineer.
118	F. Lackland,	Jefferson,	do	1963.2	Civil Engineer.
119	K. Otey,	Campbell,	do	1960.2	Merchant.
120	J. H. Estes,	Nelson,	do	1943.2	Physician.
121	W. Steenbergen,	Mason,	do	1942.2	Farmer.
122	P. B. Adams,	Harrison,	do	1935.9	Teacher.
123	E. T. Bridges,	Richmond City,	do	1896.7	
124	F. W. Cox,	Essex,	do	1867.7	Teacher. Lawyer.
125	W. Byrd,	Frederick,	do	1862.2	Lawyer.
126	J. F. Jordon,	Alleghany,	do	1856.9	Teacher. Civil Eng'r.
127	B. Ficklin,	Albemarle,	do	1850.7	Teacher. Stage Pro'r.

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128	G. P. Terrill,	Bath,	July 4, 1849	1844.7	Teacher. Physician.
129	Amb. Ranson,	Jefferson,	do	1842.2	Farmer.
130	J. B. Norville,	Prince William,	do	1758.4	Teacher. Civil Eng.
†131	L. P. Thompson,	Augusta,	do	1720.7	Lawyer.
*132	W. W. Gordon,	Essex,	July 4, 1850	2226.5	U. S. Coast Survey.
*133	P. B. Smith,	Northampton,	do	2202.3	Lawyer. [Lawyer.
134	W. D. Stuart,	Augusta,	do	2166.8	Prin. Rich'd Acade'y.
135	Charles Denby,	Richmond City,	do	2145.3	Teacher. Editor.
136	C. D. Rice,	Jefferson,	do	2136.3	Teacher.
137	T. O. Benton,	Nansemond,	do	2126.8	Teacher.
138	J. Gallatin Paxton,	Rockbridge,	do	2116.8	Civ. Eng. Ed. Lyn'g
139	C. H. Harrison,	Cumberland,	do	2110.2	Merchant. [Rep.
140	D. Trueheart,	Richmond City,	do	2096.3	U. S. Coast Survey.
141	W. B. Littlepage,	King William,	do	2069.7	Teacher. [Lawyer.
142	J. M. Brockenbrough,	Richmond,	do	2060.3	Teacher.
†143	W. H. Urquhart,	Southampton,	do	1976.3	Farmer.
144	G. Jordon,	Page,	do	1966	Civil Engineer.
145	Charles Smith,	Northampton,	do	1957.7	Physician.
146	W. R. Terry,	Bedford,	do	1957.5	Merchant.
147	A. C. Jones,	Marshall,	do	1956.4	Lawyer. Judge.
148	William Booton,	Madison,	do	1948.5	Civil Engineer.
*149	J. A. Marshall,	Fauquier,	July 4, 1851	2059	Teacher. Lawyer.
*150	W. Y. C. Humes,	Washington,	do	2034.5	Teacher. Lawyer.
151	F. S. Bass,	Brunswick,	do	2002	Teacher.
152	P. C. Gibbs,	Morgan,	do	1974.5	Teacher. Merchant.
153	W. H. Burroughs,	Princess Ann,	do	1972.5	Teacher.
154	J. T. B. Winfree,	Campbell,	do	1972	Merchant.
155	J. C. Page,	Cumberland,	do	1971.5	Farmer.
156	E. P. Taylor,	King George,	do	1955.5	Farmer.
157	R. S. Burks,	Botetourt,	do	1954	Teacher.
158	T. A. Harris,	Bedford,	do	1950	Teacher. Physician.
159	C. Cooke,	Hanover,	do	1946.5	Farmer.
160	R. O. Whitehead,	Nansemond,	do	1946	Teacher. Civil Eng'r.
161	H. Carrington,	Charlotte,	do	1945	Farmer.
162	G. G. Garrison,	Princess Ann,	do	1932	Civil Eng'r. Merch't.
163	A. J. Vaughan,	Dinwiddie,	do	1929	Civil Engineer.
164	B. F. Elliott,	Madison,	do	1925	Farmer.
165	W. A. Harris,	Rockbridge,	do	1919	Pres. Fem. College.
166	H. T. Parrish,	Cumberland,	do	1893.5	Lawyer.
167	J. H. Johnston,	Norfolk City,	do	1877	Farmer.
168	H. Caperton,	Monroe,	do	1874	Physician.
169	Thomas Upshaw,	King & Queen,	do	1869	Teacher. Civil Eng'r.
170	R. F. W. Morris,	Amherst,	do	1856.5	Merchant.
171	H. Gantt,	Albemarle,	do	1854	Farmer.
172	A. B. Jordan,	Isle of Wight,	do	1852.5	Teacher. Civil Eng'r.
173	W. A. Eliason,	Alexandria,	do	1840	Civil Engineer.

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174	W. Whitehead,	Nansemond,	July 4, 1851	1826	Physician. Surgeon
175	A. F. Gooch,	Richmond City,	do	1821	Farmer. [Rus. Army
176	A. D. Callicote,	Isle of Wight,	do	1758.5	Teacher. [at Savast'l.
177	James Giles,	Pittsylvania,	do	1736.5	Teacher.
			July 4, 1852		[Math. Lynch'g Col.
*178	J. E. Blankenship,	Amelia,	do	2118.3	U. S. Coast Sur. Prof.
*179	G. S. Patton,	Richmond City,	do	2107.1	Teacher. Lawyer.
180	Joseph Mayo,	Westmoreland,	do	2054.7	Lawyer.
181	W. M. Gordon,	Fauquier,	do	2054.4	Teacher. Civil Eng'r.
182	W. O. Yager,	Page,	do	2052.3	Civil Engineer.
183	H. A. Whiting,	Hanover,	do	2040.1	Teacher. Civil Eng'r.
184	S. B. Gibbons,	Page,	do	1941.4	Teacher. Merchant.
185	C. T. Mason,	King George,	do	1854.9	Civil Engineer.
186	J. C. Mayo,	Westmoreland,	do	1847.8	Teacher. Physician.
187	T. R. Thornton,	Caroline,	do	1815.5	Prin. Rap. Academy.
188	B. F. Hudgins,	Elizabeth City,	do	1777.8	Farmer.
189	John C. Grayson,	Alexandria,	do	1764.5	Physician.
190	M. P. Christian,	Campbell,	do	1716.9	Teacher. Surg'n U. S.
191	Thos. T. Munford,	Richmond City,	do	1715.8	Farmer. [Navy.
192	N. H. Harrison,	Spotsylvania,	do	1707.3	
193	John G. Meem,	Campbell,	do	1662.7	Merchant. Civ. Eng'r
†194	C. B. Williams, Jr.	Culpeper,	do	1636.8	Teacher.
195	M. B. Manser,	Fayette,	do	1584.6	
196	G. A. Goodman,	Albemarle,	do	1556.1	Teacher.
197	Jas. V. Hall,	Princess Ann,	do	1542.9	Teacher.
198	Wm. M. Waller,	Amherst,	do	1426	Farmer.
199	W. J. Preston,	Richmond City,	do	1340.8	Civil Engineer.
200	J. L. Ashby,	Clarke,	do	1337.4	Farmer.
201	M. F. Tutwiler,	Fluvanna,	do	1277.1	Civil Eng. Teacher.
			July 4, 1853		
*202	J. T. Murfee,	Southampton,	do	2257.9	Teacher. Prof. Math.
†203	W. Silvester,	Norfolk City,	do	2188.6	Teacher. [Lyn'g Col.
204	P. S. Lewis,	Mason,	do	2014.6	Farmer.
205	W. W. Williams,	Norfolk City,	do	1959.8	Clergyman. [Acad.
206	J. J. Phillips,	Nansemond,	do	1954.3	Principal Chuckatuck
207	Geo. H. Smith,	Fairfax,	do	1952.5	Teacher. Lawyer.
†208	T. G. Smith,	Norfolk City,	do	1899	Lawyer.
209	J. L. White,	Washington,	do	1791.1	Physician.
210	J. P. Hammet,	Montgomery,	do	1734.9	Physician.
211	J. D. Bruce,	Frederick,	do	1681.9	
212	J. C. Ward,	Campbell,	do	1662	Farmer. Teacher.
213	Geo. Chamberlayne,	Norfolk City,	do	1658.9	Broker.
214	Gab. Gray,	Culpeper,	do	1620.7	Teacher.
215	Wm. Kemble,	Monongalia,	do	1570.3	Teacher. U. S. Army.
216	J. R. Waddy,	Northampton,	do	1495.5	Teacher.
217	J. W. Cringan,	Richmond City,	do	1475	Civil Engineer.
218	Wm. F. Lee,	Alexandria,	do	1407.9	Teacher. U. S. Army.
219	J. A. Turner,	King George,	do	1365.6	Civil Engineer.



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220	Francis Mallory,	Elizabeth City,	July 4, 1853	1363.6	Civil Eng. U. S. Army.
221	Alex. Morson,	Stafford,	do	1250.6	Civil Engineer.
222	H. B. Armistead,	Fauquier,	do	1215.5	Teacher.
223	N. Hammond,	Berkeley,	do	1198.8	
224	J. M. Lightner,	Pocahontas,	do	1139.9	Farmer.
225	W. E. Arnold,	Franklin,	do	1133.9	Teacher,
226	T. J. Moncure,	Caroline,	do	1099.9	Teacher,
*227	Richard Taylor,	Norfolk City,	July 4, 1854	2161.5	Teacher. Prof. Norf'k
*228	J. H. Lane,	Matthews,	do	2007.2	Teacher. [Acad.
229	R. P. Carson,	Washington,	do	1774.3	Teacher.
230	C. E. Lauck,	Frederick,	do	1676.6	Teacher.
231	James W. Humes,	Washington,	do	1666.8	Teacher.
232	Wm. Browne Botts,	Spotsylvania,	do	1526.3	Teacher.
233	Wm. E. Harrison,	Loudoun,	do	1486.7	Civil Engineer.
234	J. L. Stephenson,	Fauquier,	do	1427.2	Farmer.
235	C. E. Lightfoot,	Culpeper,	do	1351	Principal Culp. Acad.
236	Geo. B. Horner,	Fauquier,	do	1238.7	Civil Engineer.
237	C. H. Riddick,	Nansemond,	do	1125.7	Farmer.
238	John A. Marks,	Prince George,	do	1005.5	Farmer.
239	Alex. Bruce,	Halifax,	do	999.8	Farmer.
†240	Thomas Blackburn,	Jefferson,	Jan 15 1854		
*241	S. Crutchfield,	Spotsylvania,	July 4, 1855	2188.8	Ass't Prof. V. M. I.
242	W. T. Patton,	Richmond City,	do	2149.8	Ass't Prof. V. M. I.
243	E. V. Bargamin,	Richmond City,	do	1974.1	Ass't Prof. V. M. I.
244	L. B. Williams,	Orange,	do	1953.3	Ass't Prof. V. M. I.
245	G. Buck,	Morgan,	do	1936.2	Teacher.
246	J. P. Wilson,	Cumberland,	do	1729.4	Farmer.
247	W. T. Hardy,	Norfolk City,	do	1741.9	Civil Engineer.
248	E. C. Sheppard,	Jefferson,	do	1547.9	Teacher.
249	R. C. Allen,	Bedford,	do	1477.5	Lawyer.
250	E. J. Magruder,	Orange,	do	1449.6	Farmer.
251	B. H. Todd,	Nottoway,	do	1438.9	Teacher.
252	W. Dupuy,	Dinwiddie,	do	1301.7	
253	J. H. Waddell,	Augusta,	do	1251.2	Teacher.
254	W. E. Fife,	Kanawha,	do	1214.9	Lawyer.
255	H. W. Cox,	Chesterfield,	do	1172.9	Teacher.
‡	E. J. Harvie,	Amelia,	do		Lieut. U. S. Army.
*257	F. W. Smith,	Norfolk City,	July 4, 1856	2411.4	[College.
*258	Ed. L. Smith,	Norfolk County,	do	2096	Asst Prof. Lynchburg
259	F. M. Suddoth,	Fauquier,	do	2089.3	Teacher.
260	P. B. Stanard,	Richmond,	do	2085.3	Ass't Prof. V. M. I.
261	G. P. C. Rumbough,	Campbell,	do	2065	Civil Engineer.
262	George M. Edgar,	Monroe,	do	2048.8	Teacher.
263	J. H. Carpenter,	Alleghany,	do	2016.9	Teacher. Civ. Eng.



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264	Wm. B. Selden,	Norfolk City,	July 4, 1856	2004.9	Civil Engineer.
265	J. L. Cross,	Warren,	do	1955.8	Prof. Mat. Winchest'r
266	T. B. Robinson,	King William,	do	1941.8	Teacher. [College.
267	E. Fowls,	Montgomery,	do	1873	
268	R. M. McKinney,	Campbell,	do	1832.3	Teacher.
269	W. Y. C. White,	Washington,	do	1740.1	
270	W. S. Guy,	Nottoway,	do	1684.6	
271	M. N. Moorman,	Campbell,	do	1645.1	Merchant.
272	J. L. Meem,	Campbell,	do	1625.1	Civil Engineer.
273	F. M. Barton,	Frederick,	do	1619.5	Farmer.
274	F. M. Boykin,	Isle of Wight,	do	1606.8	Teacher.
275	J. J. McAllister,	Isle of Wight,	do	1561.5	Teacher.
276	D. B. Penn,	Richmond City,	do	1545.6	Merchant.
277	W. J. Seargeant,	Louisa,	do	1535.9	Teacher.
278	Wm. B. Clagett,	Loudoun,	do	1503.5	
279	C. S. Hurt,	Petersburg,	do	1481.7	Teacher.
280	R. H. Hooe,	Fauquier,	do	1481.5	
281	J. F. Alexander,	Spotsylvania,	do	1463.6	Merchant.
282	J. A. Galt,	Fluvanna,	do	1425.3	Farmer.
283	John B. Cocke,	Powhatan,	do	1363.4	Farmer.
284	J. G. Gittings,	Harrison,	do	1223.1	
285	T. H. Owen,	Halifax,	do	1208.3	
286	F. H. Hannum,	Washington,	do	1183.5	
287	W. H. Hood,	Southampton,	do	1168.6	Teacher.
288	W. H. Easley,	Halifax,	do	1144.6	
289	T. H. Halcomb,	Mecklenburg,	do	1030.9	
*290	J. McCausland,	Mason,	July 4, 1857	2470	Ass't Prof. V. M. I.
*291	R. M. Mayo,	Westmoreland,	do	2173.4	do do do
*292	J. J. Smith,	Alexandria,	do	2093.7	Merchant.
*293	A. M. Fauntleroy,	Frederick,	do	2005.1	
*294	R. B. Taylor,	City of Norfolk,	do	1988.7	
295	Alex. Rives,	Albemarle,	do	1978.6	Physician.
296	Chas. W. Hardy,	City of Norfolk,	do	1967.6	Merchant.
297	P. P. Slaughter,	Madison,	do	1965.4	Ass't Prof. V. M. I.
298	J. Ker,	Northampton,	do	1960.9	Teacher.
299	R. K. McCausland,	Mason,	do	1934.9	
300	B. F. Stewart,	Westmoreland,	do	1872.4	Ass't Prof. V. M. I.
301	A. Fulkerson,	Washington,	do	1750.7	Teacher.
302	H. Ker,	Northampton,	do	1718.8	Teacher.
303	J. A. Hambrick,	Franklin,	do	1637	
304	E. McConnell,	Richmond City,	do	1519.5	
305	J. M. Steptoe,	Bedford,	do	1562.6	Teacher.
†306	John Read,	Roanoke,	do	1533.5	
307	J. W. B. Bosworth,	Randolph,	do	1478.7	
308	J. C. Hiden,	Orange,	do	1455.7	Teacher.
309	J. H. Cameron,	Rockbridge,	do	1418	Farmer.
310	S. G. White,	Petersburg,	do	1320.3	

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311	J. W. Keeble,	Matthews,	July 4, 1857	1295.8	Merchant.
*312	M. B. Hardin,	Alexandria,	July 5, 1858	2504	Ass't Prof. V. M. I.
*313	L. W. Reid,	Alexandria,	do	2468.8	Ass't Prof. V. M. I.
*314	L. L. Marks,	Petersburg,	do	2319.2	
315	J. F. Neff,	Shenandoah,	do	2122.9	Teacher.
316	N. C. Wilson,	Rockbridge,	do	2096.9	
317	W. E. Cutshaw,	Jefferson,	do	1978.7	Teacher.
318	G. E. Tayloe,	Roanoke,	do	1973	Farmer.
319	J. M. Kincheloe,	Fauquier,	do	1754.5	
320	H. B. Meade,	Amelia,	do	1738.6	
321	J. T. Hairston,	Henry,	do	1689.5	
322	E. C. Edmonds,	Alexandria,	do	1624.3	Teacher.
323	T. S. Taylor,	Franklin,	do	1587.2	
324	D. W. Flowerree,	Fauquier,	do	1536.3	Merchant.
325	T. L. Pitts,	Richmond Co.,	do	1532.4	
326	J. Armistead,	Elizabeth City,	do	1475.4	
327	J. B. Terrill,	Bath,	do	1442.9	Lawyer.
328	S. Wilson,	Surry,	do	1431	
329	H. L. Norfleet,	Nansemond,	do	1285.7	Farmer.
330	J. Breckenridge,	Botetourt,	do	1211.3	
			July 4,		
*331	W. H. Clarke,	Henrico,	1859	2383.1	Teacher.
*332	J. H. Chenowith,	Randolph,	do	2350	Ass't Prof. V. M. I.
*333	J. W. Lyell,	Richmond,	do	2341.7	Teacher.
334	Scott Ship,	Fauquier,	do	2248.5	Ass't Prof. V. M. I.
335	E. S. Hutter,	Campbell,	do	2214.6	
336	C. Y. Steptoe,	Bedford,	do	2170.9	Teacher.
337	J. W. Lewis,	Bath,	do	2145.9	
338	W. Keiter,	Hampshire,	do	2061.6	Teacher.
339	J. F. Tyler,	Lee,	do	2051.1	
340	W. H. Otey,	Campbell,	do	2023	Ass't Prof. V. M. I.
341	J. D. H. Ross,	Culpeper,	do	1929.9	
342	G. Ross,	Culpeper,	do	1898.5	
343	C. J. Green,	Stafford,	do	1842	
344	W. L. Wingfield,	Bedford,	do	1749	
345	T. M. Massenburg,	Elizabeth City,	do	1717.2	
346	S. P. Minitree,	Petersburg,	do	1708.2	Teacher.
347	W. B. Tabb,	Amelia,	do	1703.7	
348	A. G. Hill,	King William,	do	1691.7	Teacher.
349	J. Ryland,	King & Queen,	do	1691.7	Teacher.
350	W. M. Palmer,	Halifax,	do	1626.7	Teacher.
351	J. H. Ham,	Elizabeth City,	do	1591.7	Teacher.
352	G. B. Cooke,	Norfolk City,	do	1516	Teacher.
353	E. C. Hill,	King William,	do	1497.4	Teacher.
354	T. V. Williams,	Tazewell,	do	1439	Teacher.
355	L. W. Mears,	Elizabeth City,	do	1409.3	
356	O. C. Henderson,	Alexandria.	do	1383.1	

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357	J. W. Kerr,	Petersburg,	July 4,	1859	1302.9
358	D. H. Hardaway,	Nottoway,	do	1297.6	
359	T. M. Boyd,	Nelson,	do	1237.8	

Names marked thus [\*] most distinguished of their class—those with [†] signify death.

NOTE.—Graduates are requested to notify the Superintendent of any errors in the above Catalogue.

§ Cadet E. J. Harvie having been appointed a Lieutenant in the U. S. Army, a short time before his class graduated, but having completed the studies of his class, he was graduated without class standing.

It is desired to make the next Register as perfect as possible, every graduate, therefore, who may receive a copy of this Register, will please make known to the Superintendent his present occupation and residence.

The numbers in the column—"Graduation Number"—represent the class grade on graduation, and are to be compared only as between the members of the *same* class. The *maximum* standard varies from year to year.

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